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To: Lois Menzies' Judicial Nomination Commission

RE: Sixteenth Judicial District

Dear Lois:

April 25 I received a comment from Curt Almy regarding the Sixteenth Judicial District vacancy. He indicated that in his opinion, Wyatt Glade and Sheila Newman should be considered finalists and their names forwarded to the governor. His impression of Garry Bunke was not so favorable.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Richard A. Simonton".

Richard A. Simonton
District Judge